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PRICE SIXPENCE.

Theatre-Royal.

EIGHT NIGHT OF MRS SIDDONS' ENGAGEMENT.
On SATURDAY, Evening July 20, will be acted,
The TRAGEDY of

THE FAIR PENITENT.

Scotto, Mr. WOODS.
Lothario, Mr. BEW.
Altamont, Mr. SMITH.
Horatio, Mr. SIDDONS.
And the part of Calista by
MRS SIDDONS.

To which will be added, a Farce, called,
THE GHOST.

THIS EVENING—THE TRAGEDY OF

ISABELLA.

The part of Isabella, by
MRS SIDDONS.

To which will be added, a Farce, called,
THE VILLAGE LAWYER.

Tickets to be had, and places for the boxes to be taken, at
the Box-office of the Theatre.

ABERDEEN RACES—1799.

To be run for over the Race-ground at Aberdeen, on Wednes-
day the 28th of August.

A SUBSCRIPTION PURSE OF FIFTY

POUNDS.

3 years old carrying a Feather. 6 y. o. carrying 8st. 9lb.
4 y. o. — 7st. 3lb. Aged, — 8 12
5 y. o. — 8 3 4 mile heats.

THURSDAY 23th.

The LADIES SUBSCRIPTION PURSE OF

FIFTY POUNDS—

3 y. o. carrying 5st. 10lb. 6 y. o. carrying 9st.
4 y. o. — 7 7 Aged, — 9 2lb.
5 y. o. — 8 6 4 mile heats.

FRIDAY 30th.

FIFTY POUNDS given by the NORTHERN SHOOT-
ING CLUB, for Hunters that never won 50l. in Plate, Match,
or Sweepstakes—the horses to have been actually hunted last
season with an established pack of hounds; a certificate of
which, under the hand of the proprietor of such hounds, to be
shown at the time of entry.

To carry 12 stone—4 mile heats.

SATURDAY 31th.

A MAIDEN PLATE OF FIFTY POUNDS for horses
bred within the counties of Aberdeen, Angus, Kincardine,
Banff, and Moray.

3 y. o. carrying 4lb. 6 y. o. carrying 9st. 2lb.
4 y. o. — 8 4 Aged, — 9 4
5 y. o. — 8 12 3 mile heats.

A winner of one 50l. this year to carry 3lb.—two of two
or more 50l.—and of King's 100.—7lb. extra for the Wednes-
day and Thursday Plates. No less than three reputed running
horses to start for any of the above Plates. If only one enters,
to be allowed 5l. each, and entrance returned, unless the
Stewards determine that two may start, when the owner of
either refusing has no claim to the above premium.

The Horses to be entered at the New Inn, Aberdeen, be-
tween the hours of four and six of the afternoon of Tuesday
the 26th, when the proper certificates are to be produced. To
pay two Guineas entrance for each Plate, besides 5s. to the
Clerk of the Course. All disputes to be decided by the Stew-
ards, or whom they shall appoint, and such decision to be final.

FRANCIS GARDEN of Troup, Preses.

The Hon. WM. MAULE,
Sir WM. FORBES of Craigvar,
JAMES FERGUSON of Pipton,
WM. FORBES LEITH of Whitehaugh,
GEORGE GARDEN ROBINSON.

STEWARDS.

COUNTY OF EDINBURGH

LAND TAX REDEMPTION.

The Commissioners appointed under the acts of his present
Majesty, for Redeeming the Land-Tax of this County,
do hereby intimate, That they are to meet, every Tuesday,
at eleven o'clock, in the County of Edinburgh Income Tax Of-
fice, for the purpose of entering into contracts with such heri-
tors as are desirous of redeeming their Land-Tax, by transfer
of stock, or by paying money in place of the same.

By Order of the Commissioners,

Wardrobe's Court,
Lawn - Market,
16th July, 1799.

THO. GLOAG, Clerk.

INCOME ACT.

CITY & ROYALTY OF EDINBURGH INCOME TAX
OFFICE, No. 7, SOUTH BRIDGE STREET, 24th June 1799

THE ASSESSOR having completed the delivery of the
Notices in terms of the Act of Parliament, to the House-
holders within the City and Royalty of Edinburgh, the Com-
missioners will give attendance at this Office, every Monday,
Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday, from 12 o'clock noon, to 3
o'clock afternoon, till further notice, for carrying the purposes
of the Act into execution.

Being informed that sundry persons, founding upon a mis-
take, have supposed that from the amount of their in-
come, they are entitled to deduct the rent of their dwelling-
house, and maintenance of their family, holding the overplus
to be the sum liable in assessment, the Commissioners find it
necessary to give notice, that no such deductions are allowed
by the Act of Parliament, and that such persons as have al-
ready made the return of their income, formed upon these erro-
neous principles, may have it in their power to correct the
mistake, if they are desired to call at this Office, during the
hours of the Commissioners attendance.

The Commissioners further beg leave to call the attention
of persons liable in the income tax, to the following particulars,
with respect to which, there is reason to believe, that a misre-
presentation has taken place.

1st, With regard to the Assessed Taxes, it is only the single
rate, or annual duty, that was paid before the late act of the
38th of his Majesty, commonly called the Aid and Contribu-
tion Act, that is allowed to be deducted from the amount of
income, and not the triple assessment.

2d, That the sum paid last year as a Voluntary Contribution
for carrying on the war, is not to be deducted from the in-
come of the person who contributed the same.

3d, That the expense of children at public Schools, or Uni-
versities, or boarded with private Teachers, is not a deduction
warranted by law, these children being considered as forming
a part of the family, and no other allowance is to be given
for them, than the rate of per centage upon the sum to be as-
sessed, according to the number of children, as fixed by the
Act.

The Commissioners of the County, having published in the
different newspapers, the particular deductions allowed in the
act, it is necessary that every person perse and consider the
same before returning the statement of income, agreeable to
one or other of the forms in the notice delivered by the as-
sessor.

By Order of the Commissioners,

JOHN GRAY, Clerk.

LANDS IN THE STEWARTRY OF KIRCUBRIGHT

FOR SALE.

To be sold, at Castle Douglas, in the ordinary Court-house,
there, upon Monday the 26th of August next, at 12 o'clock
noon, in presence of the Steward Depute of Kircubright,
and under the authority of the Court of Session,

THE LANDS OF HILL, part of the Entailed Estate of
Kenmore, lying in the parish of Balmacalish and stewar-
try of Kircubright, for the purpose of redeeming the land-
tax payable from that estate.

The title-deeds and articles of roup are in the hands of Thomas
Grierson, W. S. to whom or to the proprietor at Ken-
more castle, by New Callaway, application may be made for
further information.

CALEDONIAN HUNT.

THE MEMBERS are requested to meet at FORTUNE'S
on Friday the 2d August.

THE EARL OF DALKEITH, Preses.
WM. & HENRY HAGGART, Secretaries.

WANTS A SITUATION.

As Governess to Young Ladies, or Companion to a Lady,
A GENTLEWOMAN from the South of England, who
has been all her lifetime employed in the line of Teach-
ing, and can have an undeniable character.

For further particulars, application may be made by letter,
addressed to W. Z. at Miss Fildan's, Arbroath.

WANTED FOR AN EXTENSIVE COLLIERY,
A PERSON experienced in that line. He must be steady,
attentive, and of known integrity and abilities.

His transactions will be large; his salary liberal. The situ-
ation is in a delightful country in England.

The most ample recommendation is expected.

Apply by letter to Mr. Allan, Sun Fire Office, Edinburgh.

FOUR THOUSAND SIX HUNDRED POUNDS
WANTED.

WANTED at Lammis near, 4600l. upon a transfer of an
undoubted heritable security, over an estate within
30 miles of Edinburgh, rented at nearly 1000l. per annum.

Collateral security will be given for the punctual payment
of the interest annually in Edinburgh.

Enquire at James Stormonth, writer, No. 13, North Hanover
Street.

RUSSIA SHEETING AND RAVENDUCK,
For Behoof of Underwriters.

To be sold by public auction, at Leith, on Thursday the
25th July, at 12 o'clock noon,

NINETEEN BALES—
CONTAINING
299 Pieces SHEETING—and
99 Pieces RAVENDUCK.

For further particulars apply to William Grinly, broker in
Leith. LEITH, July 12. 1799.

—TO GROCERS—
To be sold,

A SHOP, HOUSE, and CELLARS, which have been oc-
cupied for a number of years in the GROCERY LINE.

The situation of the premises is one of the most central in
this city, and the business carried on has been exceedingly pro-
fitable.—If agreeable the stock of Goods on hand will be sold
with the shop.

Apply to Nathaniel Grant, writer in Edinburgh, for further
particulars.

To be sold by public roup, on Wednesday the 21st day of
September next, in the Exchange Coffeehouse, at two o'clock
afternoon.

THE THREE FLATS of that Tenement, No. 13, St. An-
drew's STREET (west side) belonging to John Keltie,
Perfumer. The said flat consists of four rooms and kitchen.

The shop flat of an excellent Shop, with a large room and bed-
chamber behind, and the flat above consists of three good rooms
and a bed-chamber.

There is besides a paved back court and offices, and there
are two cellars under the pavement in front, with catcombs,
water-pipe, water-closet, &c.

The property is laid out for being possessed together by one
person, but each flat may be possessed separately.

For further particulars apply to Balise Spence, High Street,
or Mess. Renton and Callender, writers, Gosford's Court.

N. B. The day of roup was formerly, by mistake, adver-
tised for the 31st August next.

FOR SALE—HOUSE IN LUCKENBOOTHIS.

To be sold by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse, on
Wednesday the 7th day of August next, at six o'clock after-
noon.

ALODGING in Byre's Close, Luckenbooths, Edinburgh,
consisting of five rooms, kitchen, and various conve-
niences, with a cellar, lately possessed by Mrs. Balfour, being
the Second Flat of the Tenement, which enters from the High
Street by the first stair on the left hand of said Close.

The Lodging is in good order, and is calculated for the ac-
commodation of a large family, and of easy access from the
High Street. The key will be found at the shop of Mr. James
Stewart, merchant, at the head of the Close; and William
Whyte, writer, No. 5, George Street, Edinburgh, will show
the title-deeds, which are clear and distinct.

DWELLING HOUSE, & IN LEITH LINKS—AND
CHAISE AND HORSES TO BE SOLD.

The Dwelling House, Garden, Stable, Coach House, &c.
possessed by the late Mr. William Mitchell, north west
corner of Leith Links, will be sold by public roup in August
next; the hour and place of sale will be previously adver-
tised.

Also to be sold, together or separately, by private bargain,
a Second Hand Chaise and Harness, and a pair of Strong Dark
Brown Carriage Horses, full tails, about 15½ hands.

The Horses are in a park at Leith Mills, and will be shown
by the servants there.

The Chaise may be seen by application at the house in Leith
Links.

William Boyd, W. S. Adam's Square, will give further in-
formation.

VILLA NEAR PERTH.

To be sold by public roup, within the house of Thomas
Wakfield, victiner in Perth, upon Tuesday the 6th August
1799, at noon.

SUMMERBANK, pleasantly situated on the east side of the
river Tay, opposite to the head of the North Inch, com-
manding a most delightful prospect, and possessing, from its
vicinity to Perth, all the advantages both of a town and coun-
try residence. The House, which was built within these few
years, contains dining-room, drawing-room, parlour, nine bed-
rooms, a large kitchen, garrets, and other accommodations.

It stands in the middle of the grounds, which consist of about
two acres, laid out in a garden, which is well stocked with
wall and other fruit trees, of the best kinds. There is a spring-
well of excellent water within the garden; and there is also a
stable on the premises. The grounds are very well inclosed
with high stone walls, excepting upon the west, where it is
bounded by the river Tay.

The premises will be shown any lawful day betwixt and
the day of sale. And any person wanting further information
may apply to David Thomson, writer to the signet, or to
George Condie, writer in Perth.

DUNG TO LET.

There is to be exposed to sale by public roup, within the
Court Room, Potterrow, on Wednesday the 24th current,
at six o'clock in the afternoon.

ONE HALF OF THE DUNG or FULZIE, belonging to the
the District of Potterrow and Bristo. The articles of
roup to be seen in the hands of James Sandison, Bristo Street.

ROUP OF TOLLS AT LASSWADE.

To be exposed to Roup before an Adjourned General Meet-
ing of the Trustees for the High Roads in the County of
Edinburgh, to be held within Dickson's Inn, at Lasswade,
upon Saturday the third day of August next, at one o'clock
afternoon.

THE FOLLOWING TOLLS in the District of Lasswade,
viz.

HERRIOTHOUSE, NEWBOFFLE, and
GALLOWSHALL, HOWGATE.

Entry on 15th August.

Caution will be required to the extent of one sixth of the
rent, and every person intending to offer, must bring his cau-
tion along with him.

Thomas Cranston, W. S. No. 23, North Castle Street,
will show the Articles of Roup, and inform as to other particu-
lars.

NEW SILVER PLATE, JEWELLERY, AND HARD- WARE SHOP.

ALEXANDER HENDERSON, Silver Smith and Jeweller,
Nicolson's Street, Edinburgh, begs leave to inform his
Customers and the Public, that he has along with GEORGE
LAWRIE, commenced business in that shop lately possessed
by the now deceased Mr. James McKell, on the north side of
the High Street, near the Cross, under the Firm of

HENDERSON AND LAWRIE,

with an entirely new and complete assortment of the most
elegant and fashionable articles in the SILVER PLATE,
JEWELLERY, AND HARDWARE LINE, which, for qual-
ity and cheapness, will best recommend themselves.

HENDERSON & LAWRIE have also for sale, a variety of ex-
cellent GOLD, SILVER, and METAL WATCHES, of the
newest taste, and at the most moderate prices. Likewise dif-
ferent kinds of Tea and Coffee Urns, Candlesticks, and every
other article of Plated Goods, with great choice of Knives
and Forks, and all other sorts of Cutlery. And they flatter
themselves that by keeping nothing but the very best of goods,
and by selling on the most reasonable terms, they will merit a
share of the public patronage.

N. B. The working branch carried on as usual by Alexander
Henderson, at his work shop in Nicolson's Street, where Silver
and Jewellery articles can be made to any pattern, on the
shortest notice; and where, as well as at the shop of Henderson
and Lawrie, orders will be taken in.

†† The highest prices given for Gold, Silver, or Lace.

COUNTY OF DUMFARTON MILITIA.

Dumfarton, 30th April 1799.

AT a General Meeting of the LIEUTENANCY of the
COUNTY OF DUMFARTON, the following Ballot-
ted Militiamen, who have neither appeared personally or by
Substitutes, nor paid the Ten Pounds of Penalty, are ordered
to be advertised as deserters, viz.

James Boyd, servant in Balloch, Cumbernauld,
John Davidson, servant to John Hay, in Woodale,
James Couper, weaver in Peel,
James Runch, residing in Bridge-end, and James Hendrie,
weaver in Hillhead, in the parish of Kirkintilloch,
Philip Johnstone, at Whitecrock, in West Kilpatrick,
Duncan McDougal or McDonald, servant at Boghouse, and
Hugh Docharty, servant at Drunchapel, in East Kil-
patrick.

And it is ordered, that at the next Meeting of Lieutenantcy,
which is to be held at Dumfarton upon Monday the 5th day
of August next, at twelve o'clock noon, new ballots shall be
drawn to replace the above deserters, or such of them as are
not in the interval apprehended, excepting Duncan McDougal
or McDonald, and Hugh Ducharty, for whom two men have
been already found by the parish of East Kilpatrick. New
ballots will at same time be drawn to replace George Kerr, in
Watch Hills of West Kilpatrick, and Archibald Fullarton in
Luss, both dismissed from the first regiment of North British
militia.

JAMES DENNISTOUN, Preses.

Extracted from the minutes of the Meeting, by
ROBERT MACKENZIE, Clerk.

IRISH STATE LOTTERY.

Begins Drawing on TUESDAY the 23d July 1799.

THE ORIGINAL TICKETS AND SHARES,
In Halves, Quarters, Eighths, and Sixteenths,
Are sold and Registered, in variety of Numbers,

SCOTT, SMITH, STEIN, & CO.
ROYAL EXCHANGE, EDINBURGH.

Where, in the TWENTY-ONE preceding STATE LOTTERIES,
Many of the Capital Prizes have been sold.

No. of Prizes. Value. Total.

3 of £10,000 is £30,000

3 — 5,000 — 15,000

4 — 2,000 — 8,000

5 — 1,000 — 5,000

10 — 500 — 5,000

30 — 100 — 3,000

60 — 50 — 3,000

8,000 — 10 — 80,000

8,115 Prizes. £149,000

First drawn Ticket 500

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Last morning 500

21,885 Blanks.

30,000 Tickets. £150,000

Part of the above Capital will be determined as follows, viz.

The First drawn Ticket on the 19th day £2,000

The First drawn Ticket on the 21st day 5,000

The First drawn Ticket on the 23d day 10,000

All Prizes sold at this Office will be paid at current value as
soon as drawn.

Correspondents at a distance remitting cash, or bills at a
short date, may be supplied on the same terms as if personally
present.—Letters, post paid, duly answered.—Schemes gratis.

N.B.—The Holders of Prizes sold at this Office, in former
Lotteries, will receive the value upon sending their tickets.

Insurances on Shipping, Merchandise, and Lives, done
as usual.

TWENTY-THIRD OF THE PRESENT MONTH.

THE IRISH STATE LOTTERY BEGINS DRAWING.

Part of the capital prizes will
be determined as under, viz.

First drawn 19th day £2,000

Do. 21st day 5,000

Do. 23d day 10,000

TICKETS AND SHARES

Are now selling at every
Licensed Office, and the prizes
will be paid as usual on
demand.

Persons in the country re-
mitting Post-Office orders,
cash by the mail or stage-
coachmen, to any Lottery Of-
fice of credit, will have tickets
or shares sent them on the same
terms as if personally present.

†† Last Year Irish Tickets rose to upwards of Eight Guineas,
with a rebellion and foreign enemy in that kingdom. Tranquility
is now restored, and the demand for Tickets and Shares greater
than in any former Lottery, of course they must rise considerably
before the Drawing. Those who purchase immediately will get them
at the lowest rate, which is now £1 10 0

Tickets—£1 10 0

Half £1 4 0 Eighth £1 2 6

Fourth £1 2 0 Sixteenth 0 11 6

TO THE CREDITORS OF
THE COMPANY OF BERTRAM, GARDNER, and Co. and
BAILLIE, POCOCK, and Co.

THE Trustee for these Creditors thinks it his duty to in-
form them that he is at present engaged in making up a
Scheme of Division which will be advertised as in readiness
within three weeks from this date.

Edinburgh, 18th July 1799.

TO THE CREDITORS OF
ALEXANDER DEAS, late tenant in Cairnie.

MANY of the said Creditors having omitted to lodge their
claims, with oaths of verity thereof, in the hands of
John Colville, town Clerk of Arbroath, agent for the trustees,
notwithstanding of their being required repeatedly so to do.

It is therefore requested that such of the creditors as have failed,
will lodge their claims and oaths of verity, betwixt and the
26th day of August next, with certification that a state of the
funds will then be made up, and that a division thereof will im-
mediately thereafter take place amongst such of the creditors
as have complied with the above requisition.

Arbroath, 26th June, 1799.

CANAL STOCK.

To be sold.

TEN SHARES of the CRINAN CANAL.—For parti-
culars apply to John Willis, 29, George Street.

TEAS.

From 6d. to 1s. per Pound Cheaper than they were,
AT SHEPARD'S TEA SHOP,
SOUTH BRIDGE STREET, EDINBURGH.

A Great Fall in the Price of TEAS having taken place at
the last Sale of the India Company, he is happy to an-
nouncing the same to his Customers and the Public in gen-
eral; his object is a quick return of money, and a very small
profit.

FINE Souchong Tea that was 6s. is now 5s. per lb.

Souchong and Congou ditto, 5s. 6d. do. 4s. 6d.

Fine Congou ditto, 5s. do. 4s. 6d.

Congou ditto, 4s. 6d. do. 4s.

Congou Leaf, from 3s. to 3s. 6d.

Bohea, 2s. 2d. do. 2s. 6d.

Fine Pekoa Tea, 7s. now 6s.

Superfine Hyson Green, 9s. do. 8s.

Ditto, ditto, ditto, 8s. do. 7s. 6d.

Fine Hyson Green, 7s. do. 6s. 6d.

Hyson Green, 6s. do. 5s. 6d.

Superior Cochineal Tea, 12s. do. 11s.

Superfine Gun Powder, 17s. now 16s.

Patent Cocoa—Chocolate—Raw and

WHITEHALL—July 13, 1799.

The King has been pleased to present the Reverend Alexander Campbell to the church and parish of Portree, in the Presbytery of Biggar and county of Lanark, vacant by the translation of the Rev. John Nicholson.

Also the Rev. John Haining to the church and parish of Dunfermline, in the Presbytery of Biggar and county of Lanark, vacant by the translation of the Rev. John Ritchie to the church and parish of Torbolton, in the Presbytery of Ayr.

And the Rev. John Henderson to the church and parish of Drydale, in the Presbytery of Lochmaben and county of Dumfries, vacant by the death of the Rev. Thomas Henderson.

The King has been pleased to appoint Robert Cullen, Esq. one of the Lords of Session, to be a Lord of Justiciary in Scotland, in the room of John Swinton, Esq. deceased.

The King has also been pleased to appoint William Hosnyman of Armadale, Esq. to be a Lord of Justiciary in Scotland, in the room of David Rae of Eskgrove, Esq. appointed Lord Justice Clerk.

The King has also been pleased to appoint George Ferguson, Esq. to be one of the Lords of Session in Scotland, in the room of Robert Macqueen of Braxfield, Esq. deceased.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Mr John Anstruther to the place and office of one of the four Commissioners of Edinburgh, in the room of George Ferguson, Esq. appointed a Lord of Session.

The King has also been pleased to appoint Doctor George Hill to be one of his Majesty's Chaplains in ordinary in Scotland, in the room of Doctor Joseph Mackinnon deceased.

WAR-OFFICE—July 13.

31st Regiment of Foot—Captain Thomas Pickering, from the half-pay of the late 132d foot, to be Captain, vice Erskine, who exchanges.

Broadbent's Fencible Infantry.

Colonel Archibald Campbell, from the 8th foot, to be Colonel, vice the Earl of Breadalbane, who resigns.

Colonel Murray's Fencible Infantry.

Adjutant James Dixon, from the half pay of Captain Bradshaw's late corps, to be Adjutant.

Quarter-Master Munro Ross, from the half pay of Lieutenant-Colonel French's late corps, to be Quarter-Master.

A Regiment of Fencible Infantry.

Major Andrew Hay, from the half pay of the late 93d foot, to be Colonel.

Major Francis John Wikler, from the 9th foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, with permanent rank in the army.

Captain John George Ogilvie, from the loyal Essex fencibles, to be Major.

To be Captains—James Scott Hay, Esq. Lieutenant George Taylor, from the Rothsay and Caithness fencibles. Colin Campbell, Esq. Thomas Gilson, Esq. Lieutenant Stewart Blackie, from the Angusshire fencibles. John Bourke, Esq.

To be Captain-Lieutenant—Lieutenant Joseph Barningham, from the half pay of the 48th foot.

To be Lieutenants—Captain James Mackilligan, from the half pay of the late Sheffield regiment; Captain James Darcus, from the half pay of the 7th West India regiment; Andrew Christie; James Barwick; Alexander Stevens; James Robison; Edward Clark; Thomas Lauder; Ensign Jacob Cooper, on the half pay of the 5th regiment of the Irish brigade; Henry Maxwell; J. Mell.

To be Ensigns—Archibald Fletcher; James Hewerdine; John Hunter; James Brown; George Robinson; Thomas Maylay; Edward Dester; Thomas Russell.

To be Quarter-Master—Ensign Jacob Cooper, on the half pay of the 5th regiment of the Irish brigade.

To be Surgeon—Andrew Christie, late surgeon to the 6th dragoons.

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The Duke of York, Clarence, Kent, and Cumberland, His Serene Highness the Prince of Orange, and the Imperial and Russian ambassadors, were in the House during the reading of the speech.

The heavy rain on Thursday prevented the spectators at Swinley Lodge being gratified with the sight of the Royal Family after their dinner, being compelled to retire to the house, when the dances commenced: "Lady Sutherland's Reel" was led down by the Duke of Clarence and Princess Mary; the second, "Go to the Devil and shake yourself;" and the third, "Gordon of Troop's Fancy," also by their Royal Highnesses. The entertainment given by the Duke was provided in an elegant and superb style; the Prince went away soon after seven, but the rest of the company did not depart till eight, when the Royal Family returned to the Castle to supper. The Dukes of York was not present, on account of the death of Mrs Bunbury, the lady of Mr H. Bunbury, of their Royal Highness's household.

The amount of the coin now circulating in his Majesty's dominions, has been calculated by a gentleman whose accuracy on such a subject cannot be doubted, at 44 millions Sterling.

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near Piacenza, Savarrows made a march of 60 Italian miles in 24 hours, and just as his troops arrived, he led them into the fire. According to a courier of the staff, who passed through this place yesterday, the Austrians have also taken a great deal of artillery. In the beginning of the battle on the 28th, Savarrows commanded on foot; but when it became very hot, he threw off his uniform and mounted a horse.

General Macdonald's army retreats in great disorder to Modena.

General Bellegarde has at the same time gained a great advantage over Moreau, but owing to the great distance, we have not yet received any particulars.—All the garrison left by Macdonald at Piacenza are taken prisoners.

St Giovanni, where the action on the 17th was fought, is about 20 Italian miles beyond Piacenza.

STRASBOURG—JUNE 24.
Twenty conspirators, of the commune of Kandel, who refused to march, have been condemned to the chain for 5 years, by the military commission in this place; which is also going to judge 50 defectors belonging to different corps.

BASLE—JUNE 24.
Though Lavater has been acquitted here after 2 examinations, yet at Baden he was not allowed to pass through the French army, on which account he has taken his temporary residence in the house of a relation at Knonau.

ZURICH—JUNE 21.
All the vessels from the two shores of our lake have been brought hither. Lavater, after having undergone two examinations from the Directory, has been acquitted, and is daily expected here. On the 17th, 400 Swiss, inhabitants of the canton of Glarus, all fine men, arrived here, and, with other Swiss, joined the Imperial army.

CONSTANTINOPLE—MAY 30.
Official advices have been received by the way of Cyprus from St John d'Acre, dated the 3d inst. Buonaparte had not raised the siege of that city, as had been reported after the arrival of the two Tartar couriers sent by Dgezar Pacha; but it is certain that the French have been very vigorously repulsed by the garrison in a new assault, with the loss of 2000 men. This check has so enfeebled them, that Dgezar Pacha, assisted by Sir Sidney Smith flattered himself he should be able, with the first succours he should receive, entirely to defeat the enemy.

These succours, which left Constantinople on the 5th of March, were still, on the 2d of May, off the coast of Caramania, between Rhodes and Cyprus. It is certainly a great advantage to have stopped Buonaparte, for two months, before a wretched place, defended by a feeble garrison, and to have made him lose two-thirds of his army; a loss which must be the more felt by him as he has no means of replacing it. The French troops which he has left in Egypt, for the defence of his conquests in that country, scarcely amount to 10,000 men.

A naval division, consisting of the Sultan Selim, of 120 guns, the three other ships of 74 guns, two frigates, and two corvettes, which are to be joined by five gunboats, built by the English engineer Sparrel, entered our road on the 21st instant. It will be commanded by the Captain Pacha, who has received orders from the Grand Signior to be ready to set out as soon as possible, to take on him the command of the naval force, destined to cruise off the coasts of Egypt and Palestine. This force will consist in the whole, of 12 ships of the line, 8 frigates, 6 corvettes, and 24 gunboats and bomb-ketches, intended to support the operations of the Grand Vizier.

PARIS—JULY 8.
A letter from Genoa of the 24th of June says, "the French fleet appeared again before our port this afternoon; we do not know of how many sail it consists, but it appeared very considerable, and stronger than it was a fortnight ago, although it contained from 25 to 30 sail.

BERNADOTTE, MINISTER OF WAR TO THE GENERAL IN CHIEF.
Paris—July 5.
The regenerated Directory has just conferred on me the honour of directing the War Department.

The situation of the army that you command, will enable you to form an idea of the task imposed on me; for it is our duty to provide for all the wants of the army.

I cannot conceal from myself the importance of this duty; but considering that you will divide it with me, I feel an increase of my strength, when seconded by yours.

Let me be informed of every thing relative to the moral and physical state of your army; you will judge by my anxiety to second you, the desire that I entertain of totally eradicating every abuse.

I am determined to pursue, without relaxation, that dishonesty which has for so long a time devoured the subsistence of the defenders of their country. Raping is the source of all our disasters; it will be necessary to dry this poisoned source.

I offer you confidence and friendship.

THE SPEAKER'S SPEECH.
ADDRESS TO THE KING WHEN ON THE THRONE,
ON FRIDAY LAST.

Molt Gracious Sovereign,
In the name of the Commons of Great Britain, in Parliament assembled, it is my duty humbly to tender to your Majesty the bills by which their grants are commuted for the public service of the year. The magnitude of the supply, and the cheerfulness with which it has been given, combined with the flourishing state of commerce and the revenue, and of the manifestations of loyalty and public spirit which universally prevail, may justly be considered as indications, the most encouraging and decisive, of the abundant and unimpaired resources of the British empire, and of the unshaken firmness of your faithful people.

To your Commons, it is a subject of pride and satisfaction to reflect, that in providing for the exigency of the present conjuncture, they have been enabled to adopt a measure which, though attended with sacrifices unprecedented in their amount, is eminently calculated to administer effectual support to public credit; upon the appreciation and expected failure of which the enemy long been induced to found the vain hope of destroying the liberties and independence of these Kingdoms. The conduct, however, of your Commons, has not been influenced by a limited and partial view of the situation and circumstances of this country, and of the causes which operate upon its welfare and security. They know that its interests are closely connected with those of other States; and they have accordingly conformed to the principles of a sound and enlarged policy, for affording to your Majesty the most ample means of promoting and assisting the exertions of those Powers, who, by justly eliminating the danger with which they are threatened, are convinced that a fatal aggravation of it would be the probable consequence of compromise and supineness; and that to be successfully repelled, it must be opposed by such efforts as will be sufficient to prove to the enemy that their system of ambition and conquest is equally nefarious and extravagant, and that its objects are unattainable.

Your Commons, Sir, are deeply sensible of the importance of the stake for which your Majesty is still unavoidably contending, and of the duties which they are bound to discharge. It is, they are persuaded, upon the wisdom and fortitude of the British Parliament, that, under the favour of Divine Providence, must chiefly depend the preservation of whatever is truly valuable in civil society, and of all that constitutes the happiness of private life. Acquainted by these sentiments, and relying with perfect confidence upon the justice and moderation of your Majesty's views, your Commons have not hesitated to continue to your Majesty that cordial and decided support in the prosecution of the contest, which can alone justify the hope of concluding it by a safe and durable peace.

The Lisbon homeward-bound fleet arrived yesterday at Portsmouth. The Royal Sovereign, Caesar, and Robert put into Plymouth on Friday with Lord Nelson's prizes. They cannot have brought any news, for they sailed from Lisbon the day before the falling of the packet, which arrived at Falmouth.

On Saturday afternoon, about three o'clock, one of the largest powder mills on Twickenham Common, not far from Hanworth, blew up, with a most violent explosion, attended by circumstances of the most melancholy nature. Four men, employed in corning the powder, were blown to atoms in the air, and many of the timbers of the building thrown to a distance of half a mile.

On the 5th of February last, at Madras, shortly after his arrival in India, Charles Maitland Bushby, Esq. Barrister at Law.

On Friday evening, at his house in Queen Ann Street East, Lieutenant General William Martin, of the Royal Artillery.

CORN EXCHANGE, LONDON, July 15.
THERE was a pretty considerable supply of English Wheat at market this day, and several arrivals of Foreign, which caused a decline of 2s. per quarter, but the sale was brisk. A few samples of barley appeared, which met a heavy sale at 12s. to 25s. per quarter depending. Malt continues much as usual.

The Oat Trade was dull in the morning, owing to a pretty large arrival of coastwise; but, towards the close of the market, it revived, though prices must be noted 1s. per quarter lower than last Monday.

Grey Peas are in brisk demand, and what few appeared were sold off at 2s. per quarter advance.

English Wheat, 60	70 0	Malt, 42	45 0
Elfen, 70	70 0	Flour, 46	0
Barley, 35	36 0	Oats, 32	34 6
Southern, 35	36 0	Neat, 34	37 6
Finest Flour, 58	60 0		

—STOCKS—

BANK STOCK	INDIA STOCK
3 per cent. ann. 60 1/2	Long Ann. 17 15-16 1/2
4 per cent. ann. 77 1/2	Short ditto, 6 7-16 1/2
5 per cent. ann. 90 1/2	Loth. Tel. 15 1/2
6 per cent. ann. 100 1/2	Irish ditto 8 6

This day, (July 15) at twelve o'clock,
3 P. M. 1/2 per cent. 6 1/2—Quinnion 8 1/2
Exchanges on Dublin 11

Caledonian Mercury.
EDINBURGH—JULY 18.

We are without any news of importance, if we except the intelligence brought to the India House, of the failure of all BUONAPARTE's attacks upon St John d'Acre, which was also attended by a loss to him of 4000 troops, besides a number of officers.—For particulars see under proper head.

Grain has fallen in price in the London market.

The first regiment of Royal Edinburgh Volunteers were reviewed and inspected on Tuesday on Burnside Links, by Major-General VYSE, and acquitted themselves in a manner highly creditable to themselves and satisfactory to the General. The artillery were inspected by Colonel RIMINGTON, and deserved and obtained high commendation.

The Royal Regiment of Fife-shire Yeomanry Cavalry, consisting of seven troops, about 300 strong, commanded by the Right Honourable the Earl of CRAVENDON, assembled at Kirkcaldy on the 8th instant, for the purpose of exercising for eight days. They were quartered there and in the neighbourhood, received with the greatest kindness and hospitality, and conducted themselves in the most orderly manner during the week. The regiment was on Saturday reviewed by General VYSE, and made a very fine and military appearance.

The General declared himself highly satisfied with the correctness and alacrity with which the corps went through their evolutions, and expressed his astonishment that the regiment could be brought to such perfection in so short a time.

The highest praise is due to Sir WILLIAM ESKINE,

who acted as Lieutenant-Colonel, and to whose military abilities and exertions the corps are extremely indebted. The whole afforded a very grand and interesting scene, equally honourable to the county, and the individuals who compose the corps.

The Kirkcaldy Volunteers, in consequence of the polite offer of their Major, kept the ground the whole day, which was of much service, as it was surrounded with an immense concourse of spectators.

The Magistrates and inhabitants of the towns where the troops were quartered deserve the greatest credit for the marked civility and attention they have shown on the occasion.

Brigadier General ARCHIBALD CAMPBELL, serving in the Leeward Islands, is appointed Commandant of the Breadalbane fencibles, in succession to the Earl of BREADALBANE, resigned. The General is brother of Mr CAMPBELL of Auchalader, who is Lieutenant-Colonel of this fine body of men, now the first regiment of fencible infantry, and nearly 1000 strong.—It has served in Ireland for several years past. The conduct of this regiment has always been most exemplary. It is the first corps of this description who volunteered general service.

On Friday last, MARGARET FRASER, who kept a change-house in Edinburgh, was convicted before the Sheriff of Edinburgh, of receiving young boys, shopkeepers, into her house, and giving them meat and drink for goods, which the malt have been satisfied were stolen or dishonestly come by, for which she was sentenced to six months imprisonment in the Bridewell for this county, and thereafter banished the county for life, with certification, that if she shall afterwards return to or be found within the county, she will be again committed to Bridewell, and of new banished under the like certification. It is hoped this will be a warning to others to avoid such illegal practices.

Yesterday, a discovery was made that some of the prisoners in Edinburgh jail, had attempted to effect their escape. One of the fauconiers was cut, and those concerned were possessed of large knives and other instruments. They are now however secured from making a similar attempt.

A few nights ago a large lead cistern was carried off from a gentleman's house at Porto Bello.

We are informed, that a Convey for the trade bound to the Baltic will sail from Leith Roads the first fair wind after the 20th instant.

The Cruiser cutter has brought to Leith Roads a French privateer of 16 guns.

The Fanny, M'BRYNE, from New York for Greenock, was taken by a French privateer on the 20th ult. off Torry Island. The Lydia, HENDERSON, from the same place for Liverpool, was also taken.

Yesterday one of the seamen who belonged to the Fanny arrived at Greenock. He confirms the capture of that vessel and also of the Port Mary from New York to Liverpool, and the Sea Nymph, and Brothers from Liverpool to Jamaica. The Brothers engaged the French privateer and killed 15 of her men. These captures are very distressing, the more especially as a single frigate might keep all clear in that quarter.

We hear from Stonehaven, that on Saturday arrived the crew of the brig Good Intent of Sunderland, who declare, that on Friday morning, about 60 miles from land off the Girdleness, a lugger privateer bore down upon them, and gained so fast, that to avoid being taken prisoners, the crew took to their boat, when the privateer was within half a mile, leaving the matter on board, and were picked up at sea by the Peggy of Limekilns, who landed them at Stonehaven.

The 15th regiment has marched from Cupar Fife, for Linlithgow.

On Wednesday evening, about ten o'clock, while a man was employed in watching a vessel laden with wood at the East Quay of Greenock, he fell into the harbour, and his wife, who was at that time also on board, jumped in after him, and both were drowned. They were taken out of the water in less than 15 minutes, but the exertions of the surgeons to restore life proved ineffectual.—The uncommon and poignant distress of an only daughter when she beheld the lifeless bodies of both father and mother extended by each others, side may be easier conceived than described.

In the House of Commons, new writs were ordered for Banffshire, in room of WILLIAM GRANT, Esq. and for Bearaillon, in the county of Devon, in room of Sir JOHN MITFORD, oth of whom have accepted Chiltern Hundreds.

An union between Britain and Ireland seems to have become more palatable in the latter country than at its first suggestion. The inhabitants of the town and neighbourhood of Ballythannon have advertised their approbation of it, and reply to the several arguments which have been offered against it. To the objection founded upon the debt of Britain, they give the following emphatic answer—"The debt of Britain may be unequalled, but unequalled debt is the consequence of unequal credit; unequal credit of a much greater degree of opulence."

An advertisement from a number of Noblemen and Gentlemen of the King's County expresses their sentiments of approbation, and calls upon their countrymen to reconsider the question.

Sunday forenoon, some children discovered, secreted in the trunk of an old tree in the green of Glasgow, a vast quantity of counterfeit money in imitation of seven shillings pieces, half crowns, and shillings. They were lodged in the Council Chamber.

Monday, two workmen, employed in the New Relief Church presently building in Tradestown, Glasgow, were shockingly hurt by the falling of the scaffolding. One of them was taken to the Infirmary without hope of recovery.

CORN MARKETS.

We understand there has been a considerable importation of wheat into Leith, for the use of the inhabitants of this part of the country, being very scarce and dear at this time; but we are sorry to learn that a great part has been shipped, and will be sent off to England, where prices are more encouraging.

CORK—July 9.

On Saturday last, his Majesty's ship Revolutionaire, Captain TWYSDEN, brought into Cove L'Hypollite, a French brig corvette, of 16 guns and 60 men, which was captured by the Revolutionaire, in company with the Dryad, Captain MANSFIELD, in lat. 42. 20. long. 17. on her passage from Cayenne to L'Orient. On the same day, the Phoebe, Captain BARLOW, brought in the St Joseph, a Spanish brig of 300 tons, bound from Cadiz to Vera Cruz, laden with wine, oil, olives, and sundries, which was captured on the 1st inst. by the Phoebe, in company of the Kangaroo, Capt. BRACE.

THEATRE ROYAL.

The Theatre Royal of this city having at present the attraction of Mrs SIDGONS, is, as might be expected, well attended by all the fashionable company in town, and the public are sensible of the Manager's attention in bringing down this favourite performer. A Correspondent under the signature of R. M. has sent us some remarks, in which he pays a just tribute of applause to the performances of this celebrated actress; as also to Mr SIDGONS and Mr WOODS. He however points out many defects in the other performers, who, he says, are not adequate to the parts assigned them, and calls upon the MANAGER to make such addition to his Company as may enable him to have the whole characters properly supported. He speaks of Saturday night in particular; that whilst Mrs SIDGONS and Mr WOODS received the warmest plaudits from the Audience, it was painful to hear these succeeded by groans and hisses whenever the other performers came upon the stage; the contrast being superlative praise and extreme disapprobation, which could afford no gratification to the lady nor satisfaction to the Audience.

Our Correspondent, R. M. and many others who have sent us similar remonstrances, will, we hope, be satisfied with the above, and we have no doubt the Manager will take it in good part, and remove the cause of complaint, as far as in his power.

HIGH COURT OF JUSTICIARY.

On Monday the Court met to receive the verdict of the jury who sat on the trial of WILLIAM WILSON, accused of seducing three sailors from one of his Majesty's gun vessels, and engaging them on board his ship in the merchant service.—The jury found the libel proven, and the Court sentenced the pannel to two months imprisonment.

After pronouncing sentence on Mr Wilson, the Court proceeded to the trial of JOHN ARMOUR, clerk to Mess. Goddard and Co. merchants in Edinburgh, accused of assisting Jean Baptiste Vaudeville and Jean Jacques Jappie, two French prisoners of war, to escape from Edinburgh Castle on the 10th of March last.

The prisoner pled NOT GUILTY.—No objections were made to the relevancy of the libel.

From the evidence it appeared, That the pannel had been in the habit of visiting the prisoners in the Castle, and previous to entering into Mr Goddard's service had been examined before the Magistrates on that account, and had been prohibited entering the prison in the Castle. He was particularly acquainted with the two prisoners who escaped. Some time before the escape he gave a small sword to one Brevon, a French surgeon, to make a saw, and from the testimony of several witnesses it appeared the staunchoon was cut with a saw.

After the escape, Armour was examined, who said if search was made in the house of M. De Ville a French teacher; or in a Mr Paterson's house in Leith, (in the latter house there was a place of concealment,) they would probably find them. This was done, but without effect, and nothing more came out till the return of the cartel, when Armour was apprehended on a Secretary of State's warrant, when he emitted several declarations which were proved by the proper officers.

For the pannel it was proved by Mr Goddard that his character was good and conduct proper, except in this business, and two professional men said that a sword was an improper thing to make a saw of—a table knife was far better. A merchant also proved his buying a sword in August 1797.

The LORD ADVOCATE for the Crown, and Mr JOHN CLERK charged the jury in speeches of considerable length, and the LORD JUSTICE CLERK summed the whole evidence. About seven o'clock the jury were inclosed, and appointed to give in their verdict at ten o'clock, which they did, finding all in one voice the libel proven, but on account of the pannel's youth, they humbly recommended to the Court to be as lenient in their sentence as the nature of the offence would admit.

The Court, after delivering their opinion, sentenced the pannel to four months imprisonment, and afterwards to find security to the extent of 200l. to keep the peace for two years.—They were principally induced to inflict this mild sentence on account of the jury's recommendation, and also to afford the young man an opportunity of becoming a better subject than it appeared he had been hitherto.

—ARRIVED AT LEITH.—

July 15. Endeavour, Teal, from Perth, goods—Nelly, Swanson, from Thurso, grain—Berwickshire Packet, Cunningham, from London, goods—Speedwell, Brighton, from Aberdeen, ditto—Isabella, Scotland, from Dundee, grain—Christophers, Mathewson, from Thurso, ditto—Jean, Mitchell, from Arbroath, meal—Friendship, Milne, from Aberdeen, goods—John and Thomas, Maryson, from Arundell, bark—Providence, Alexander, from Banff, grain—Peggy, Morrison, from Newburgh, ditto—Peggy and Susan, Christie, from Kirkwall, meal.

16. Andrew and Kitty, Small, from Glasgow, goods—Providence, Wallace, from Greenock, ditto—Royal Bounty, Newton, from David's Straits, seven fish and a half, full—Duke of Athol, Drysdale, from St Petersburg, goods—Charlotte, McLaren, from Allosa, spirits—William and Isabella, Gallaway, from Glasgow, goods—Mercury, Millar, from New York, ditto—Hope, Kaudson, from Eastercree, timber—Christian the 7th (a detained vessel), salt—Four sloops with coals.

—CLEARED OUT.—

16. Maria, McKENZIE, for Stornaway—Nelly, Budge, for Thurso—Two Brothers, Simpson, for Greenock—Christian, and Janet, Millar, for Montrose—Edinburgh and Berwick Packet, Cooper, for London—all with goods.

Wind E.S.E. moderate.

—LONDON.—

ENTERED INWARDS.

July 12. Berwick, William and Thomas, White—Leith Foster, Beatty.

CLEARED OUTWARDS.

12. Berwick, Diligence, Watson.

SHEETLAND SHIPPING.

July 2. His Majesty's ship Ariadne came to Bally Sound, and sailed from thence on the 4th.

4. Fanny, Jennison, of Hull, from Greenland Seas, with ten large whales.

Truelove, Greensho, of ditto, from ditto, with fourteen whales, nine of them payable; also three unicorns.—Both ships in Bally Sound, and full.—Captain Greensho reports, that the fishing at Greenland has in general been successful.

IN BRASSAY SOUND.

Lerwick Packet, of Berwick, Smith, from Leith.

9. Prosperous, Keith, of and from Peterhead.

10. Allison, Allan, from Greenland Seas, with thirteen large whales. A full ship.

Elizabeth, Tether, of Hull, from ditto, with twelve large whales. A full ship.

11. His Majesty's hired cutter Rose, having retaken and brought in the Lord Saltoun brig, of Aberdeen, laden with coals.

SOUND INTELLIGENCE.

PASSED DOWNWARDS.

Jul 1. Nymph, Thornton, from Riga for Dundee, fax. Hamilton, Wylic, for Saltcoats, with timber.

Supply, Jefferson, from ditto for Dundee, ditto.

Industry, Elder, from Riga for ditto, fax.

Friendship, Wilson, from Königsberg, for ditto, wheat.

Edward, Morton, from Memel for Ayr, timber.

Martha, Carr, from Pillau for Borrowstonness, wheat.

Christian, Gill, from ditto to Dumfries, timber.

Leviathan, Brown, from Memel for Perth, ditto.

Astrea, Fowler, from ditto to Grangemouth, ditto.

Daphnia, Kinnear, from Königsberg for London, wheat.

Bonaventure, Patterson, from Riga for Arbroath fax.

Damon, from ditto to Dundee, ditto.

Camilla, Foreman, from ditto to ditto, ditto.

James and David, Cairns, from ditto to ditto, ditto.

Betsy, Stocker, from Memel to Grangemouth, ballast.

2. Olive Branch, Bisset, from Dantzick to Leith, ashes, &c.

Union, Balie, from Riga for Montrose, fax.

Montrose Packet, Garden, from ditto for ditto, ditto.

Alexander, Adam, from ditto to Dundee, ditto.

Eliza, Brougham, from ditto to ditto, ditto.

Fortune, Low, from Stockholm for Montrose, iron.

2. Alexander, Albot, from Dantzick for Dundee, wheat.

Mercury, Barr, from Dantzick for Leith, wheat.

Margaret, Guthrie, from Königsberg to Hull, yarn.

Four Sisters, Hodge, from Dantzick for Leith, wheat.

Providence, Perry, from Dantzick for Obairin, timber, &c.

Yesterday the Wright armed ship and Nile brig sailed with a fleet of about 80 sail of homeward bound vessels. All the vessels that have arrived to wait convey. Wind S. moderate.

EDINBURGH, July 2. 1799. HOWDEN & CO.

—MARRIED—

On the 2d current, at Edinburgh, the Reverend Mr JAMES SOMMERVELL, minister of the gospel at Symington, in Inverclyde, to Miss MARGARET MOODIE.

On the 11th inst. at the Rev. James Grant's, Laggar, Inverness-shire, Mr JOHN SMITH, merchant in Glasgow, to Miss CHARLOTTE GRANT.

—DIED—

On Friday, at Edinburgh, Mr MARTIN MOOREHEAD, Principal Clerk of the General Post Office, Edinburgh.

At Barnmuir, on the 12th inst. Capt. WILLIAM RANKEN, of the Fife-shire Fencible Cavalry.

At Torrance, on the 9th current, Mr ADAM STEWART, writer in Edinburgh.

On the 13th inst. at Levenfield, Dumbartonshire, Miss ELIZABETH TODD, daughter of John Todd, Esq.

SEQUESTRATIONS, &c.

July 12.—JAMES ROBERTSON & Co. Manufacturers in Glasgow.—Creditors to meet in the Star Inn there on the 24th July, at noon, to name an interim factor; and on the 14th August, to chuse a trustee.

Creditors of Mrs MARY GALL, Broker in the Horse Wynd, Edinburgh; to see a state of her affairs with Peter Scott, merchant there.—No dividend.

JOHN CAMPBELL, late Vintner in Perth, to meet in Thomas Wakefield's, vintner there, on the 1st August, at noon, to consider on matters of consequence.

ALEXANDER McKENZIE, late Merchant in Paisley, to see states of his affairs with Andrew McGeorge, writer in Glasgow, till the 14th August. To receive their dividends on the 15th August.

JOHN M'ARTHUR, Merchant in Perth, to meet in Peter M'Dougal's, vintner there, on the 5th August, at eleven A. M. to decide on an offered composition.

Examination of JOHN FRAZER, Bleacher in Chandelhall, on the 23d July and 6th August, at noon, in the Court-room of Cupar.—Creditors to meet in Mrs Cockburn's, innkeeper there, on the 7th August, to give instructions to the trustee.—Claims to be lodged before the 8th January.

WILLIAM HOMBLE, Sadler in Edinburgh, has applied to the Court of Session for a discharge.

WILLIAM PANTON, at Blackruthven, has applied to the Court of Session for a discharge.

EDINBURGH PRICES OF MEAL, July 16.

Lothian Oatmeal, 176 bolls. South Country, —			
Mid Lothian per B.	South Country per B.	Price per Peck.	First, 1s 3d
First, 1 3 9	First, 1 2 0	Second, 1 1 5	Third, 1 1 5
Second, 1 3 0	Second, 0 0 0	Third, 0 0 0	Third, 0 0 0
Third, 1 2 6	Third, 0 0 0	Third, 0 0 0	Third, 0 0 0

ON TUESDAY FIRST,
THE IRISH STATE LOTTERY BEGINS DRAWING.
THE TICKETS ARE SOLD,
And Divided into
Half, Fourth, Eighth, and Sixteenth Shares,
AT THE LONDON PRICES,
BY JOHN WHITE AND CO.
AT THEIR STATE LOTTERY OFFICE,
Licensed by Government,
OPPOSITE TO THE TRON CHURCH, EDINBURGH,
Where
A Number of CAPITAL PRIZES have been Sold.
JULY 16.—PRESENT PRICES OF TICKETS AND SHARES.

TICKET L. 8 0			
Half,	1 4 7 0	Eighth,	1 1 2 6
Fourth,	2 4 6 1	Sixteenth,	0 11 6

Registering Sixpence each Number.

All Shares sold at this Office are stamped and secured agreeable to act of Parliament.—Those drawn Prizes will be paid at current value, so soon as drawn.

J. WHITE & CO. recommend purchasing early. Tickets having already advanced; and, from the small quantity in this Lottery, they are likely to be much higher.

Commissions with cash, or bills at a short date, executed on the same terms as if personally present.—Schemes gratis.—Letters (post paid) daily answered.

MID LOTHIAN COUNTY MILITIA.

By Order of his Grace the DUKE OF Buccleuch, Lord Lieutenant of this County.

IN obedience to an Act passed in the present Session of Parliament, intituled, "An Act to amend an Act made in the reign of His present Majesty, and two Acts made in the last Session of Parliament, for raising a Militia force in that part of the kingdom of Great Britain called Scotland," the Lord Lieutenant hereby summons a Meeting of Deputy Lieutenants of this County, to be held within the Old Justiciary Court-room here on Thursday the 1st day of August next, at two o'clock afternoon, for carrying the Act into execution.

Edinburgh, } WILL. MACFARLANE, C. G. M.
July 3. 1799. }

N. B. A gross misrepresentation has gone abroad, as if the Militia in Scotland was to be increased under the above act, whereas its only object is to take up new lists of all men at the time dwelling within the respective parishes in this County from and after the age of 19 years complete, and not exceeding the age of 30 years complete, so as to increase the numbers in the original Lists or Ballot Boxes for supplying deficiencies in the present numbers, arising from deaths and desertions, and thereby render it less burdensome on those men whose names remain still undrawn.

EASTERN DISTRICT OF STIRLING SHIRE,
INCOME TAX.

THE Assessor having completed the delivery of Notices, in terms of the Act of Parliament to the Householders within the Eastern District of Stirlingshire, the Commissioners hereby intimate, That they will continue to attend, within the Assembly Room, Falkirk, every Monday and Saturday, from eleven to three o'clock, so long as shall be necessary for carrying the Act into execution.

Householders in this district are desired to observe, that Statements of Income must be lodged with the Assessor, or at the Office of John Burris, writer in Falkirk, our Clerk, within fourteen days after Notices are left; and, in cases where notices are not left, which unavoidably must happen, Proclamation at the Parish Church-doors is held equivalent to Notices; and every person failing to make a return will incur a penalty of 1. 20.

The particular deductions from Income, allowed by the Act, having been published in the newspapers, every person should peruse and consider the same, before making his return.

Falkirk, } WM. MAXWELL,
July 15, 1799. } WM. CADELL,
JOS. WILLIAMSON, } Commissioners.
WM. GLEN, }

SALE OF LANDS, COUNTY OF EDINBURGH.

THE SALE OF THE LANDS AND BARONY OF CHESTERHALL is, at the desire of intending purchasers, adjourned to a future day, of which due notice will be given. Mean time, any person wishing to conclude a bargain may apply to James Walker, W. S. George Street, or the Proprietor at Chesterhall.

A Coal Grieve wanted. Apply at Chesterhall Colliery.

SALE OF KINNETHLES POSTPONED.

THE SALE OF THE ESTATE OF KINNETHLES, in the County of Forfar, which was advertised for Friday the 20th July instant, is POSTPONED to a future day, of which due notice will be given.—Meanwhile persons desirous to treat for the purchase of this estate by private bargain may apply to the proprietor, Alexander Bower, Esq. of Kinnethlam, Kinnethles, by Dundee, or to Messrs. Forthingham and Pearson, writers to the signet.

MANURE

From Loch of Canonmills.

FARMERS may have an opportunity of enriching their grounds at little or no expence, by clearing out the Loch of Canonmills.

The Manure collected in it from the Sewers of the New-Town for several years past, to be given to any person who will undertake to clear it out within a limited time, and to furnish Troughs for carrying the water to the Mills while the work is going on.

John Orr, Overseer at the Mills, will inform as to other particulars.

OUTSTANDING DEBTS.

To be repaid by public roup, within John's Coffeehouse in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 24th day of July current, at one o'clock afternoon.

THE WHOLE OUTSTANDING DEBTS which belonged to John Caiden, vintner, Prince's Street. Lists of the debtors names and sums may be seen by applying to Mr William Goddard, Royal Exchange, or to the Creditors of the said John Cameron, or to Nathaniel Grant, writer, New Street.

Not to be repaid.

DUTY ON ARMORIAL BEARINGS OR ENSIGNS.

As many persons, through ignorance, absence, or some unavoidable accident, may omit or neglect to make Entries, and obtain Certificates within the time limited by the Statute, the following alterations may be acceptable to the Public.

Persons not renewing their Certificates for 1799 by the 25th day of June, will be liable to the penalty of TWENTY POUNDS, as the period for payment will not be extended.

The Duty attaches on several descriptions of persons who may not be aware of it, viz.

First Class.—The Duty of Two GUINEAS is to be paid by every person keeping a Coach, or other Carriage, chargeable with the Allied Taxes, on which any Armorial Bearing or Ensign is painted, &c. and the Mould only being painted on the Carriage is chargeable, as it is considered as a part of the Arms; this Duty attaches in like manner on Housekeepers and Innkeepers.

Second Class.—The Duty of One GUINEA is to be paid by every person (not having any Armorial Bearings on their Carriages, and consequently not having paid the Duty of Two Guineas), who are Housekeepers, and use or wear any Armorial Bearing or Ensign, or who shall be possessed of any Seal or Plate, or other Article on which the same shall be painted, engraved, &c. And attaches as follows, viz.

On all Incorporated Companies, except the Corporations of Cities, Boroughs, or Towns.

On all Trading Companies, Hospitals, Inns of Court, Societies, &c.

On all persons using any Armorial Bearing to distinguish their Articles in Trade, such as Patent Medicines, Water Colours, &c. On all persons having any Armorial Bearing affixed in their Books, or on the Buttons of their Servants, or on their Harbours, Holders, or Saddles, or otherwise ornamentally displayed.

Third Class.—The Duty of TEN SHILLINGS and SIXPENCE

is to be paid on all the different Articles described under the Second Class, by all Lodgers and Innkeepers, who do not pay the House-tax at any place, or keep Carriages with Armorial Bearings.

A Gentleman's payment for his own Certificate does not exempt his Wife, Son, or Daughter, who are notwithstanding chargeable with the letter tax of 10s. 6d. if they use Armorial Bearings.

Foreigners are chargeable with the different Duties.

Lifts of persons who have paid the Duty to be affixed on the Church Doors of each Parish.

Lifts of each district will, at a proper period, be open to the inspection of any person during the hours of business at the different Offices, on the payment of Sixpence; and the Offices appointed to issue Certificates for using Hair-Powder are also open to issue Armorial Bearings.

A FARM IN ANGUS-SHIRE.

To be LET, for the space of Nineteen Years, THE FARM OF COLDCOATS, consisting of about 117 acres. The turnpike road from Arbroath to Montrose runs along the east boundary of this farm, which is about four miles distant from the former place, and seven from the latter.

Andrew Taylor, grieve at Gilchrist, will show the farm; and for particulars apply to John Rait, Esq. at Anniston.

COUNTY OF FORFAR.

FARMS TO BE LET.

THE FARM OF HAUGHS OF KINNAIRD, containing upwards of 225 acres of arable land, besides valuable pasture. This farm lies between Brechin and Montrose, the soil, situation, climate, access to market and manure, are what a tacksman should wish for. The dwelling-house and farm offices are good and commodious; a considerable quantity of land for fallow, with dung and new grass, will be entered to.

Also, the FARM OF COLDCOATS, consisting of about 80 acres arable land, besides pasture and muir, lying between Brechin and Montrose.

For particulars apply to Mr Greenhill, at Old Montrose by Montrose.

FARMS IN THE COUNTY OF FIFE.

To be LET for Nineteen Years from Martinmas 1799.

THE FARM OF ATHERNEY MAINS and BANKHEAD, containing 170 Scots acres or thereby, and the Farm of BLACKTYSIDE, containing about 120 acres.

These farms lie contiguous; the soil is of good quality, almost all arable, and there is in each farm a proper proportion of strong and light land. They have a south exposure, are situated within two miles of Leven, a sea-port town, and in the immediate neighbourhood of coal.

Offers, in writing, may be given in to Mr William Beveridge, W. S. or to Adam Wilson at Largo House. Those not accepted will be concealed. The present tenants will show the farms.

Notes.—The clause in the conditions of set reserving power to the proprietor to resume possession, upon payment of a year's rent, is now struck out, and offers will be received till the 25th July.

FIFE, PARISH OF ST ANDREWS.

Farms to LET for 19 years, or such term as may be agreed on.

THE FARM OF CLATTO, as presently possessed by Ramsay, excepting three parks the property of Robert Low, Esq. Entry Michaelmas 1800.

The Farm of TONGUES OF CLATTO, as presently possessed by James Grieve. Entry Michaelmas 1802.

There is in this last farm such a command of running and spring water, as is believed would make it an eligible situation for a distillery, being within about a mile and a half of Drum-carto coal-hill, within about the same distance of the river Eden, where sloops come to load and unload, as also within three miles of the harbour of St Andrews.

N. B. These two Farms being contiguous, might be united into one with much advantage.

Also the Farm of BONFIELD, as presently possessed by Thomas Wilson. Entry Michaelmas 1802.

All these Farms lie close along the turnpike road from Dundee water-side, by the Guard Bridge to the south coast of Fife.

The tenants will show the farms, and for farther particulars enquire at Mr John Dun at Mount Melville, to whom offers may be made, or if more agreeable, sealed offers may be delivered to him or to James Balfour, writer at Mr Gibson's, No. 25, York Place, Edinburgh, addressed to the proprietor John Whyte Melville, Esq. which will be concealed if desired.

FARM IN KINROSS-SHIRE.

To be LET for 19 years, or such term as may be agreed on, and entered to, either at Martinmas next, or at Martinmas 1800.

THE FARM OF WEST MAINS OF KIRKNESS, lying in the parish of Portmouck, presently possessed by William Goodair, and consisting of about 320 Scots acres, mostly of arable ground, now completely inclosed and fenced.

On this Farm a most substantial Steading and Offices have lately been built; and as the proprietor is anxious to introduce a better mode of husbandry, it will be found an object well worth the attention of expert farmers, particularly, as a considerable part of the lands consists of a dry soil, well adapted for Turnip Husbandry; and as there is plenty of lime at two miles, and coal within three miles distance of the lands.

Henry Anderson at Kirkness will show the farm, and proposals, to be kept secret if desired, will be received by Mr Horthburgh at Cupar Fife, or Mr Henry Clephan, W. S. No. 13, Queen Street, Edinburgh.

SALE OF LANDS IN INVERNESSHIRE.

To be SOLD by public roup, on the 13th day of November next, 1799, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, in Edinburgh, at two o'clock afternoon.

THE LANDS OF WATERSTEIN, RAMSAY and Others after mentioned, lying in the parish of Derrinuish, and Island of Sky, in the following lots, or in such other lots as may be then agreed upon.

Lot I. Ramsay, Waterstein, Melvaig, and Borsdale.

Lot II. Glendale, Ushibist, Galtrigill, and Boraig.

Lot III. Colboist, Skindine, Uginish, without the Change-house, Osdale, and Kinloch.

These lands are all held of the Crown, and a purchaser of any of the above lots may, if he inclines, at a reasonable rate, have as much more superiority as will make up a freehold qualification.

The whole of the lands, which are of very great extent, are extremely low rented at present, and a very considerable increase of rent may with certainty be looked for. The lands chiefly lie on the sea-coast, have excellent harbours, and are well situated for the Cod, Ling, and Herring Fishing.

Persons requiring further information, or who may wish to treat by private bargain before the day of sale, may apply to Hector Macdonald Buchanan, writer to the signet, with which the title-deeds and articles of roup may be seen. Those wishing to see the lands, may apply to Mr Robertson the factor at Dunvegan.

To be SOLD by auction, on Monday the 22d inst in that house, west corner, South Castle Street and Prince's Street.

THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, consisting of Dining-room and Drawing-room Furniture, four-posted Mahogany Bedsteads and Curtains, Mahogany Desks and Drawers, Chairs and Tables, a Mahogany Side-board, Tea and Table China, Crystal Vase, Mirror Glasses, Scots and Wilton Carpets and Blankets, a well-toned Piano Forte, a Kitchen Jack, with a variety of Kitchen Furniture.

The sale to begin at 11 o'clock.

JOHN and J. PATTERSONS, Auctioneers.

PORT-SETON HOUSE IN EAST LOTHIAN TO LET.

To be LET, unfurnished, for four or more years as can be agreed upon, and entered to immediately.

THE HOUSE OF PORT-SETON, consisting of a large kitchen, with a water-pipe and scullery, housekeeper's room and lobby off the same, dining-room and drawing-room, with closets off both, four bed-rooms, and closets off the same, one of which is a bed-chamber, garrets fitted up with beds for servants, a large cellar fitted up with catacombs, milk-house, hen-house, washing-house, coach-house, and stable with hay-loft and byre—Also about 3 roads of ground round the house, well inclosed with stone and lime dyke. The tenant to pay all the taxes.

The house lies about nine miles from Edinburgh, about seven from Haddington, one from Tranent, and one from Prestonpans; from which last town a stage coach goes to Edinburgh, and returns every lawful day, and there are good markets in the immediate neighbourhood of the place.

The tenant may be accommodated with one or two grass parks contiguous to the house.

Also to be LET for four or more years,

THE HARBOUR-DUES OF PORT-SETON.

For further particulars apply to James Mitchell, factor to the Earl of Wemyss, at Haddington.

ESTATE OF CRAILING—ROXBURGHSHIRE.

THIS well-known, valuable, and compact ESTATE will be exposed to SALE by public roup (unless previously disposed of by private bargain), in John's Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, on Monday the 25th day of November, at six o'clock afternoon; if not then sold, it will afterwards be put up in lots.

The present rent is 2127l. 3s. One of the principal farms is now out of lease, and two more will be so in 1800, on which a considerable rise of rent may undoubtedly be expected. The Estate consists of 2196 acres, and there is a very considerable quantity of valuable and thriving wood of various kinds, some of which, particularly near the house, is very old and large.

The lands hold of the Crown, and are of sufficient valuation to afford twelve freehold qualifications; and being situated within three miles of Jedburgh and six of Kelso, possess great convenience for markets, &c. The great post-roads from Kelso to Jedburgh and Hawick run through the middle of the lands. A considerable part of the purchase money may remain in the hands of the purchaser.

For further particulars application may be made at the proprietor at Craling House, by Jedburgh, or to Robert Trotter, Esq. writer to the signet, Edinburgh, in whose hands the title-deeds, rental, plan, and measurements may be seen. The gardener at Craling House will show the lands and boundaries.

SALE OF LANDS IN BERKSHIRE.

By Private Bargain.

THOSE PARTS OF THE LANDS AND ESTATE OF WHITSONHILL, lying within the united parishes of Whitson and Hilton, consisting of the Farms of Deadrig and Carriage, Whitson Vault, with the Small Possessions of Hurdies Hill and Claypotts, all presently possessed by John Hogarth; the Farm of Whitsonhill possessed by William Mason; and the Lands called Easter Whitson, possessed by David Jeffrey.

These Lands consist of 621 acres, and amount of yearly rent to the sum of 541l. 13s. 6d. and will rise very considerably upon the expiry of the present leases, some of which have only a few years to run; and all the leases contain proper restrictions as to the management of the Farms.

The whole of the above Lands, excepting some small penchies in the town of Whitson, hold of the Crown; and it is supposed that, upon a division of the valued rent, there will be sufficient for three freehold qualifications.

The Stipend and School Salary amount to 9l. 10s. 6d. and there is an obligation from the heirs of Sir David Dalrymple of Hailies to relieve all the Lands of any future augmentation of stipend, except the small penchies in Whitson.

For further particulars application may be made to Mr Alexander Low at Woodend, by Dunse, who has full power to conclude a private bargain.

ESTATE IN EAST LOTHIAN FOR SALE.

THE ESTATE OF ALDERSTONE, lying fifteen miles east of Edinburgh, and one west of Haddington, consisting of about 233 acres Scots measure, all well inclosed and subdivided. The lands hold of the Crown, and afford a freehold qualification in the county, which will either be disposed of separately or along with the estate.

A Modern House, commanding a beautiful and extensive prospect, and fit to accommodate a large and genteel family, has been built within these few years. The first floor consists of dining and drawing rooms, each 17 feet by 19; a third room, 24 by 18; a fourth, 18 by 12; with a dressing closet adjoining, with two lobbies and stair cases. There are two bed-rooms, containing five bed rooms each, with large dressing rooms to four of them on each storey. Adjoining to the house are two pavilions; one contains servants hall, kitchen, and larder—the other, dairy, laundry, and wash-house, with each three rooms above. There is a sunk passage, and range of cellars, and two rooms, under and from the main house to the pavilions.

The Garden, about seven years made, is well walled, and planted with fruit trees on both sides, and has a fine wall and vine in the most flourishing state. The trees are all in full bearing, and of the choicest kinds. There is also an orchard, containing an English acre, planted about seven years since, with standards of the best sort of fruit trees.

There is a considerable quantity of valuable wood upon the estate, well disposed both for ornament and shelter. The proprietor has about 70 acres in his own hands, and the leases of what part is let expire six years after Whitsunday next, when a very considerable rise of rent may be depended upon. The estate is particularly well situated for good markets, of all kinds, and has the advantage of a London and Edinburgh post daily.

If not disposed of by private bargain before the 20th October next, the estate will then be exposed to public sale.

For further particulars apply to Archd. and John Tods, W. S.

ARGYLL-SHIRE—THE ESTATE OF CRAIGNISH.

By Adjournment.

At Upset Price or Price Greatly Reduced.

To be Sold by public voluntary roup, within the Royal Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 24th July 1799, at two o'clock, P. M. in one or two lots, as including purchasers may incline.

THIS PROPERTY, situated in the parish of Craignish, consisting of between 1800 and 1900 acres, chiefly arable and green pasture, conform to survey and plan, it exposed in lots, will be divided as follows:—

Lot I. Farms of BARRACKAN, AUCHINARNICH, and GARTCHARRAN, presently rented about 334l, including the kelp shores, at the upset price of 800l.

Lot II. The Farm of PENNYCASTLE, with the Islands of the Farm of AIRD, with the Ferry and Islands; the Farm of KIRKTON, with the Island Bowick, and the Pendicle of DUNVULIG, all presently rented about 282l, including the kelp shores, at the upset price of 700l.

The lands are held of a subject superior, for payment of a about 15l. of feu duty, except the lands of Kirkton, which hold of the Crown.

By a sub-valuation in 1631, the teinds are valued, and they are now nearly exhausted.

For soil and situation this estate possesses many advantages being upon the west coast immediately opposite, and within three miles of the west entry to the Crinan Canal. The Mansion house (to which there is an excellent carriage road from Inverary) is sufficient for the accommodation of a large family, and a complete Court of Offices was built some years ago.

On the farm of Pennycastle, subdivided and enclosed, there is a good deal of thriving planting. This makes a beautiful country residence, the country around affording great amusement in fishing and shooting, and the Castle of Craignish commands a fine view of the Sound of Jura, and the adjacent Hebrides.

The title-deeds, plan, and rental, will be seen by applying to Mr Keay, accountant, No. 59, Queen Street, who is empowered to treat by private bargain; or Mr James Campbell, W. S. Argyll Square.

The ground officer will show the premises.

AT LEITH—FOR LONDON.

The Union Shipping Company's Annual Smack, BERKSHIRE PACKET, JAS. CUMMINGS Master.

Will take in goods till Saturday evening, and sail on Sunday at one o'clock afternoon.

Union Shipping Co.'s Office, Leith, July 18, 1799.

LEITH AND HULL COMMERCIAL SHIPPING COMPANY.

AT Leith—the LEITH PACKET, JAMES CAMPBELL, sails the 25th inst.

Relief Ship—the HULL PACKET, ROBERT DUNBAR, sailed from Leith, the 13th inst.

At Hull—the EDINBURGH PACKET, JOSEPH WILSON, sails the 20th inst.

The Company beg leave to observe, that they have the sole merit of reducing the freight, and bringing the trade between Leith and Hull to a regular state.

Their Smacks relieve one another on the Births at Leith and Hull, every ten days, as nearly as the weather will permit. They are all fast sailing vessels, quite new, built for the trade, and far superior to common sloops or square-rigged vessels, for safety and dispatch, especially for grain and other dry cargoes.

Wool, Traw, and all other Goods consigned to their agent, Colquhoun Grant, at Leith, will be forwarded, free of all warehouse charges and agents fees of any kind whatever.

Contractual Shipping Company's Office, Leith, July 18, 1799.

AT PORT-GLASGOW—FOR KINGSTON, JAMAICA.

The remarkably fast sailing brig

INTREPID,

ALEXANDER CHRISTIE, Commander,

Will be ready to sail by the 25th inst.

The Intrepid has a license and letters of marque, mounts 16 guns, 8 double fortified long six-pounders, 8 thirty-two pound brass cannon, and small arms complete, and will have from forty to fifty men.

For passage apply to Messrs. Alexander McLaughlin and Co. Port-Glasgow; or Alexander Allan, St. Andrew's Square, Glasgow. Glasgow, July 12, 1799.

COUNTY OF SELKIRK.

To be Sold by authority of the Court of Session, on the 10th day of September next, between the hours of two and four o'clock afternoon, within the Parliament or Session House of Edinburgh.

THE LANDS OF OVER KIRKHOPE, lying in the Parish of Etterick and Shire of Selkirk, holding of the Crown, and presently set at 130l. Sterling, on a lease current for eight years after Whitsunday last, and valued in the Cess Books at 531l. 6s. 8d. Scots, so affords a freehold qualification to vote for a Member of Parliament.

The purchaser will have right to the teinds, which are valued, and be free of the land tax which is redeemed.

The title deeds, articles of roup, and lease of the lands, will be seen in the hands of John Hunter, W. S. to whom, or to George Roidger, writer in Selkirk, persons inclining to purchase, may apply for further information.

The tenant of the lands will show them.

LANDS IN AYRSHIRE.

Day of Sale altered, at desire of intending offerors.

To be Sold by public voluntary roup, within the house of John Wilson, vintner in Beith, upon Monday the 29th July, (in place of the 15th July, as formerly advertised,) at one o'clock afternoon.

THE following Lots or Parcels of the Two Merk Land, of old extent, of MAINS OF BEITH, viz.

I.—These INCLOSURES presently possessed by John Craig, consisting in whole of upwards of 15 acres Scots measure.

Lands set in Pasture till Martinmas next.

II.—Four Small INCLOSURES, lying on the south side of the road leading from Beith to Kilbirnie, and containing in whole nearly 11 acres.

III.—Five Small INCLOSURES, lying on the north side of the road leading from Beith to Kilbirnie, and containing in whole upwards of 13 acres.

These lands will be subdivided into smaller parcels, if found to suit the convenience of intending offerors.

They are to be sold to hold of a subject superior, for payment of trifling feu-duties, to be doubled at the entry of heirs and tripled at the entry of singular successors.

The teinds are valued by an old decree in 1635.

The title-deeds, rental, and plan and measurements of the lands, are in the hands of James Dundas and Hugh Robertson, clerks to the signet, to whom application as to a private bargain previous to the day of sale, and for all further particulars, may be made.

Printed rentals and other particulars, may likewise be had, by applying to William Dun writer in Beith.

N. B.—The Four Merk Lands of Brovenaur, with the Mill of Beith, and adjacent millraces thereof, formerly advertised, have been sold by private bargain.

NATIONAL DEFENCE.

Subscriptions in the Parish of St. CYRUS.

John Brand, Esq. of Lauriston - L. 42 0 0

Charles Scott, Esq. of Cruggie - 10 0 0

Mrs Scott, of Cruggie - 2 0 0

Joseph Straton, of Kirkfield - 10 0 0

Patrick Orr, Esq. of Bridgehead, besides his subscription in the country of Forfar - 5 0 0

Mr John Brown of Upper Milton - 3 0 0

The Rev. Mr James Trail - 2 0 0

Mrs Trail - 2 0 0

David Hodgkin, tenant at Comeston - 1 0 0

Mrs Scott, at Miltondale - 2 0 0

John Webster, at Stone of Morphee - 1 0 0

Alexander Wylie, at Warburton - 1 0 0

Joseph Tod, schoolmaster; Mrs Walker, Canterbury; Mrs Christie at Woodhouse; James Middleton, at Canterbury; Alexander Jolly, at Mill of Mathers - 2 12 6

Robert Brown, at St. Cyrus; George Sheppard at Gatehead; James White, there; John Silver, at Upper Milton; David Sherr, there; Alexander Dow at Cruggie; Alexander Smith, at Hillend; Charles Straton, at Denfide; Wm. Buchanan, at Canterbury; George Reed, at ditto; Robert Wallace, at Bridgehead; Joseph Luckie at East Mathers; Wm. McGregor, tide-waiter, at Milton; David Milne, at Selby Coast—5s. each 3 10 0

Alex. Brown, at Snadown; Alex. Petrie, at Brownhill; John Watt, at East Mathers—3s. each 0 9 0

Charles Mather, at Criggie; James Sheppard, at Eastfide; Wm. Frazer, at Lauriston; Wm. Rait, at Gappichough; Mrs Beattie, at Whitehill; Mrs Janet Hodgkin, at Comeston; George Davidson, at do. Andrew Scott, at Pathhead; G. Straton, at Dunfide; John Farquhar, at Pathhead; James Christie, at East Mathers; Donald McDonald, there; David Scott, there; James Torry, there; Robert Buchan, there; Wm. Welch, at ditto; Robert Burns, at Ryehill; Wm. Anderson, at Whitehill; Wm. McQueen, at Milton—2s. 6d. each 2 7 6

John Steel, at St. Cyrus; John Craig, there; Charles Waddie, at Mill of Woodhouse; James Lyall, there; James Stewart, at Shortside; Wm. Waddie, at Lauriston; James Wood, at Quarryfield; Wm. McQueen, there; J. Cowie, at Woodhouse; John Burnett, Rud Crook, Robert Thomson, Canterbury; John Edward, ditto; David Barclay, at Hill of Morphee; John Scott, Bridgehead; Robert Hutchison, there; Andrew Edward, East Mathers; David Nory, there; D. Souther, there; Alexander Edward, there; Wm. Welch, at ditto; Alexander Gray, St. Cyrus; Wm. Scott, Milton—2s. each 2 4 0

Wm. Blacklaws, at Redhill; Thomas Clark, at Bowes; Ann Ritchie, at Burnhead; John Rae, at Redhead; Arthur Graeme, at Parkside; Wm. Taylor, there; James Robb, at East Mathers; David Middleton, there—1s. 6d. each 0 12 0

John Clark, at St. Cyrus; James Martin, there; John Cuthbert, there; Andrew Nielson at Criggie; David Smith, Parkside; A. Graeme, there; John Cuthbert, at Broadmyre; John Nielson, at Criggie; Francis Smith, at Whitehill; Alexander Chalmers, at Criggie; John Davidson, there; Alexander Brown, there; George Hill, at Criggie; Alexander Dow, there; James Tod, at St. Cyrus; Jean Stewart, at Shorefide; A Well-wisher to his country; Alexander Nicol, at St. Cyrus; John Duncan, at Bowes; Wm. Johnston, there; James Ritchie, at Burnhead; James Smith, at Burnhead; John Clark, at Muirhead; James Mather, at Muirhead; Alexander Rae, at St. Cyrus; J. Tindal, there; John Taylor, ditto; D. Ross, at Muirhead; Robert Blacklaw, Redhead; George Beattie, at Whitehill; John Rae, there; Margaret Jamies, there; Alexander Gordon, at Canterbury; A. Watton, there; John Scott, at Waterfield; Andrew Scott, at ditto;

John Burnet, at Parkside; Elizabeth H. at Kirkfield; Elizabeth Alexander, there; James Milne, at Comeston; Joseph Alexander, at ditto; James Reid, at ditto; John Murray, at ditto; James McKenzie, at ditto; Alexander Smith, at Pathhead; Joseph Luckie, at East Mathers; J. Lyon, at ditto; James Smith, at Milton; Auchterlone Crofts, St. Cyrus; Jean Williamson, at ditto; James Grieve, at ditto; Robert Smith, there; James Grieve, at ditto; Robert Smith, at ditto; Mrs Smith, at St. Cyrus; James Duncan, at Milton; Wm. Petrie, at Bridgehead; James Jamieson, at Milton—1s. each 0 4 0

Mary McDonald, St. Cyrus; Mary Greig, ditto; George Thomson, ditto; Alexander Molifon, at Burnhead; Donald McKenzie, at Comeston; Christian Blues, at Milton; Janet Ritchie, at ditto; John Anderson, at Canterbury—6d. each 0 4 0

James Beattie, 1s.; George Beattie, Patrick Craig, James Anderson; Wm. Craik, Robert Scott, John Haid, school-boys at St. Cyrus—6d. each 0 4 0

Subscriptions in the Parish of GARVOCK.